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For: A MULTI-SERVICE SYSTEM-ON-A-CHIP INCLUDING ON-CHIP MEMORY WITH MULTIPLE ACCESS PATHS

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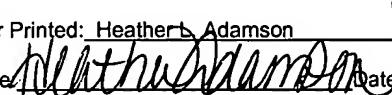
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This communication is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed September 14, 2004 (hereinafter "Office Action"). Reconsideration of the above captioned application in view of the amendments and remarks to follow is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-38 are pending.

Summary of the Office Action begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

SUMMARY

In the Office Action claims 1-2, 15, 17, 26, and 35 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph; claims 1-4, 6-9, 11-20, 22-29, and 31-35 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Chen (U.S. Pat. No. 5,197,130) (hereinafter "Chen"); claims 5, 10, 21, and 30 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Chen in view of Agarwala (U.S. Pat. No. 6,681,270) (hereinafter "Agarwala"); and claims 36-38 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim.